

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sveinung LOSET et al.
Title: LOADING SYSTEM FOR ICE
INFESTED WATERS
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.115

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the present Application, Applicant respectfully requests that the application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract are presented as a new Abstract attached to this document to replace the previously submitted Abstract as page 17 of the specification

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: